
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON LABOR

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, March 16, 2022

TIME: 4:00 P.M.

PLACE: House Lounge - State House

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

House Bill No. [7348](#)

BY Felix, Cassar, Morales, Kazarian, Kislak, Potter, Alzate, McNamara, Casimiro, Williams ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MINIMUM WAGES {LC4197/1} (Commencing 1/1/23, gradually increases the minimum wage for employees receiving gratuities from the current (\$3.89) to (\$14.95) by 1/1/2027 and on 1/1/2028 the minimum wage shall be no less than the minimum wage established by the minimum wage law.)

02/04/2022 Introduced, referred to House Labor

03/11/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [7510](#)

BY Morales, Felix, Williams, Alzate, Kislak, Tanzi, Speakman, Henries, Vella-Wilkinson, McEntee

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - TIP PROTECTION {LC3950/1} (Prohibits employers from receiving any portion of the tips given by customers to their tipped employees, with limited exceptions for credit card service charges.)

02/16/2022 Introduced, referred to House Labor

03/11/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [7511](#)

BY Shekarchi, Ackerman, Bennett, McNamara, Shanley, Messier, Azzinaro, Kennedy, Serpa, Batista

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MINIMUM WAGES {LC4785/1} (Repeals § 28-12-9 of the general laws which provides that the director of labor and training may approve of wages below the minimum wage for those persons whose earning capacity is impaired due to physical or mental disability.)

02/16/2022 Introduced, referred to House Labor

03/11/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [7575](#)

BY Morales, Potter, Ranglin-Vassell, McGaw, Batista, Biah, Kislak, Henries, Speakman, Williams

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MINIMUM WAGES {LC3312/1} (Repeals the law that prevented municipalities from establishing their own minimum wage for their employees.)

02/18/2022 Introduced, referred to House Labor

03/11/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [7720](#)

BY Williams, Giraldo, Morales, Alzate, Felix

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MINIMUM WAGES {LC3995/1} (Allows individuals employed in domestic service or in or about a private home to be included as an employee, for purposes of minimum wages law.)

03/02/2022 Introduced, referred to House Labor

03/11/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [7721](#)

BY Giraldo, Williams, Alzate, S Lima, Morales, Batista, Cassar, Speakman, Kislak, Cortvriend

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- PAYMENT OF WAGES - EMPLOYEE RECORDS {LC4180/1} (Requires employer to furnish items and conditions of employment and a pay stub explaining how wages were calculated/reasons for deductions/allows the employee to file a court action against employer for violation.)

03/02/2022 Introduced, referred to House Labor

03/11/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [7765](#)

BY Henries, Ranglin-Vassell, Felix

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MINIMUM WAGES {LC5264/1} (Effective January 1, 2023, increases the minimum hourly wage to fourteen dollars and fifty cents (\$14.50) to sixteen dollars and seventy-five cents (\$16.75) the next year, the next year to nineteen dollars (\$19.00).)

03/02/2022 Introduced, referred to House Labor

03/11/2022 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [7901](#)

BY Edwards

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - PAYMENT OF WAGES {LC3688/1} (Eliminates repealed statute references and create a mechanism for employees to enforce their existing right to continuation of medical benefits.)

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PROCEDURAL INFORMATION:

The meeting will be televised on Capitol Television, which can be seen on Cox Channels 15, and 61, in high definition on Cox Channel 1061, on Full Channel on Channel 15 and on Channel 34 by Verizon subscribers.

It will also be live streamed at

<https://www.rilegislature.gov/CapTV/Pages/default.aspx>.

WRITTEN TESTIMONY

Written testimony is strongly encouraged and may be submitted via

HouseLabor@rilegislature.gov

In the subject box of your email, indicate the bill number.

In your message, include your name, bill number and viewpoint (for/against/neither). This inbox is for written testimony only.

Written testimony is posted to the General Assembly website as soon as possible.

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IN PERSON TESTIMONY

Individuals may testify in person before the committee at the State House. Sign-up sheets are available in/outside the hearing room.

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